

## KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES

Preliminary February 2018

### AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

U.S. Comparable Rate - 4.4%

	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	Feb 18	Jan 18	Feb 17
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>2,050,759</b>	<b>1,954,632</b>	<b>96,127</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>4.3%</b>	<b>5.9%</b>
<b>COUNTY</b>						
<b>BARREN RIVER</b>	<b>141,202</b>	<b>135,046</b>	<b>6,156</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>
ALLEN	8,919	8,552	367	4.1%	3.4%	4.3%
BARREN	19,392	18,434	958	4.9%	4.4%	5.2%
BUTLER	5,333	5,055	278	5.2%	5.1%	6.5%
EDMONSON	4,960	4,653	307	6.2%	5.8%	7.0%
HART	8,325	7,972	353	4.2%	4.0%	4.9%
LOGAN	12,140	11,610	530	4.4%	3.8%	4.6%
METCALFE	4,167	3,969	198	4.8%	4.0%	4.6%
MONROE	4,884	4,676	208	4.3%	3.4%	4.5%
SIMPSON	8,783	8,411	372	4.2%	3.7%	5.0%
WARREN	64,299	61,714	2,585	4.0%	3.6%	4.3%
<b>BIG SANDY</b>	<b>45,496</b>	<b>42,129</b>	<b>3,367</b>	<b>7.4%</b>	<b>7.0%</b>	<b>11.0%</b>
FLOYD	11,695	10,871	824	7.0%	6.7%	10.7%
JOHNSON	7,257	6,690	567	7.8%	7.2%	10.1%
MAGOFFIN	3,043	2,581	462	15.2%	15.3%	20.9%
MARTIN	3,410	3,189	221	6.5%	5.7%	9.9%
PIKE	20,091	18,798	1,293	6.4%	6.0%	10.0%
<b>BLUEGRASS</b>	<b>414,007</b>	<b>397,611</b>	<b>16,396</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>
ANDERSON	11,684	11,228	456	3.9%	3.6%	4.6%
BOURBON	9,491	9,065	426	4.5%	4.0%	5.8%
BOYLE	12,721	12,115	606	4.8%	4.2%	5.6%
CLARK	17,198	16,417	781	4.5%	4.1%	5.3%
ESTILL	5,488	5,131	357	6.5%	5.9%	6.7%
FAYETTE	173,618	167,518	6,100	3.5%	3.0%	3.9%
FRANKLIN	24,950	23,959	991	4.0%	3.7%	4.5%
GARRARD	7,752	7,392	360	4.6%	4.2%	5.3%
HARRISON	8,764	8,391	373	4.3%	3.8%	5.5%
JESSAMINE	26,100	25,073	1,027	3.9%	3.4%	4.2%
LINCOLN	9,369	8,865	504	5.4%	5.3%	6.6%
MADISON	45,757	43,840	1,917	4.2%	3.6%	4.8%
MERCER	9,996	9,522	474	4.7%	4.4%	5.5%
NICHOLAS	3,342	3,178	164	4.9%	4.7%	6.7%
POWELL	5,142	4,789	353	6.9%	6.1%	8.3%
SCOTT	28,269	27,232	1,037	3.7%	3.2%	4.1%
WOODFORD	14,366	13,896	470	3.3%	2.9%	3.5%

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<b>COUNTY</b>						
<b>BUFFALO TRACE</b>	<b>23,014</b>	<b>21,436</b>	<b>1,578</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>8.2%</b>
BRACKEN	3,864	3,638	226	5.8%	6.1%	7.8%
FLEMING	6,100	5,708	392	6.4%	5.9%	7.4%
LEWIS	4,909	4,427	482	9.8%	10.4%	11.1%
MASON	7,325	6,897	428	5.8%	5.5%	7.0%
ROBERTSON	816	766	50	6.1%	5.4%	7.8%
<b>CUMBERLAND VALLEY</b>	<b>80,680</b>	<b>75,596</b>	<b>5,084</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>7.9%</b>
BELL	8,729	8,121	608	7.0%	6.4%	9.2%
CLAY	5,585	5,178	407	7.3%	6.8%	9.5%
HARLAN	6,737	6,230	507	7.5%	7.0%	11.3%
JACKSON	4,125	3,786	339	8.2%	7.1%	9.0%
KNOX	10,199	9,499	700	6.9%	6.3%	8.3%
LAUREL	24,789	23,418	1,371	5.5%	5.0%	6.7%
ROCKCASTLE	6,750	6,358	392	5.8%	5.2%	6.8%
WHITLEY	13,766	13,006	760	5.5%	4.9%	6.5%
<b>FIVCO</b>	<b>49,635</b>	<b>45,712</b>	<b>3,923</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>8.7%</b>	<b>9.9%</b>
BOYD	18,330	17,151	1,179	6.4%	6.6%	8.8%
CARTER	10,267	9,229	1,038	10.1%	12.9%	11.8%
ELLIOTT	2,240	1,995	245	10.9%	11.4%	12.6%
GREENUP	13,765	12,721	1,044	7.6%	7.9%	9.2%
LAWRENCE	5,033	4,616	417	8.3%	8.4%	10.6%
<b>GATEWAY</b>	<b>34,201</b>	<b>31,661</b>	<b>2,540</b>	<b>7.4%</b>	<b>6.8%</b>	<b>8.0%</b>
BATH	4,638	4,250	388	8.4%	8.7%	9.4%
MENIFEE	2,380	2,131	249	10.5%	9.9%	11.6%
MONTGOMERY	11,693	10,839	854	7.3%	6.6%	7.5%
MORGAN	4,649	4,269	380	8.2%	7.6%	9.5%
ROWAN	10,841	10,172	669	6.2%	5.3%	6.4%
<b>GREEN RIVER</b>	<b>99,795</b>	<b>95,019</b>	<b>4,776</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>4.3%</b>	<b>5.7%</b>
DAVISS	47,733	45,613	2,120	4.4%	4.1%	5.1%
HANCOCK	4,100	3,904	196	4.8%	4.3%	5.8%
HENDERSON	21,930	21,025	905	4.1%	3.6%	5.4%
MCLEAN	4,379	4,136	243	5.5%	5.1%	5.9%
OHIO	9,911	9,238	673	6.8%	6.2%	7.9%
UNION	5,994	5,652	342	5.7%	4.9%	7.2%
WEBSTER	5,748	5,451	297	5.2%	4.5%	6.0%

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<b>COUNTY</b>						
<b>KENTUCKY RIVER</b>	<b>30,905</b>	<b>28,608</b>	<b>2,297</b>	<b>7.4%</b>	<b>6.8%</b>	<b>10.6%</b>
BREATHITT	3,923	3,612	311	7.9%	7.6%	10.7%
KNOTT	4,493	4,154	339	7.5%	6.6%	11.1%
LEE	1,934	1,776	158	8.2%	7.5%	9.3%
LESLIE	2,701	2,493	208	7.7%	7.0%	11.8%
LETCHER	6,301	5,851	450	7.1%	6.4%	11.0%
OWSLEY	1,109	1,018	91	8.2%	6.8%	9.4%
PERRY	8,491	7,919	572	6.7%	6.1%	10.2%
WOLFE	1,953	1,785	168	8.6%	8.3%	10.8%
<b>KIPDA</b>	<b>515,632</b>	<b>495,067</b>	<b>20,565</b>	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>
BULLITT	41,501	39,803	1,698	4.1%	3.8%	4.8%
HENRY	7,996	7,662	334	4.2%	3.8%	4.7%
JEFFERSON	395,528	379,575	15,953	4.0%	3.7%	4.8%
OLDHAM	32,685	31,545	1,140	3.5%	3.1%	3.9%
SHELBY	24,154	23,262	892	3.7%	3.3%	4.0%
SPENCER	9,881	9,514	367	3.7%	3.5%	4.5%
TRIMBLE	3,887	3,706	181	4.7%	4.1%	5.6%
<b>LAKE CUMBERLAND</b>	<b>81,621</b>	<b>76,940</b>	<b>4,681</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>5.2%</b>	<b>6.8%</b>
ADAIR	6,820	6,394	426	6.2%	5.7%	7.5%
CASEY	6,863	6,531	332	4.8%	4.3%	5.6%
CLINTON	3,765	3,539	226	6.0%	5.4%	7.9%
CUMBERLAND	2,921	2,749	172	5.9%	6.2%	6.4%
GREEN	5,068	4,855	213	4.2%	3.8%	4.9%
MCCREARY	4,960	4,613	347	7.0%	6.0%	8.5%
PULASKI	25,227	23,804	1,423	5.6%	5.2%	6.1%
RUSSELL	6,143	5,740	403	6.6%	6.2%	9.4%
TAYLOR	12,389	11,844	545	4.4%	3.9%	5.6%
WAYNE	7,465	6,871	594	8.0%	6.1%	8.6%
<b>LINCOLN TRAIL</b>	<b>124,088</b>	<b>118,483</b>	<b>5,605</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>5.5%</b>
BRECKINRIDGE	8,172	7,686	486	5.9%	5.5%	7.2%
GRAYSON	10,851	10,283	568	5.2%	5.2%	7.4%
HARDIN	48,451	46,346	2,105	4.3%	4.0%	5.2%
LARUE	5,983	5,698	285	4.8%	4.5%	5.3%
MARION	9,603	9,243	360	3.7%	3.3%	4.6%
MEADE	12,177	11,584	593	4.9%	4.6%	5.8%
NELSON	22,554	21,584	970	4.3%	4.0%	5.4%
WASHINGTON	6,297	6,059	238	3.8%	3.5%	4.9%

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<b>NORTHERN KENTUCKY</b>	<b>236,893</b>	<b>227,558</b>	<b>9,335</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>
BOONE	68,500	65,878	2,622	3.8%	3.5%	4.4%
CAMPBELL	49,620	47,808	1,812	3.7%	3.2%	4.4%
CARROLL	4,786	4,550	236	4.9%	4.7%	5.6%
GALLATIN	3,915	3,735	180	4.6%	4.0%	5.6%
GRANT	11,534	10,959	575	5.0%	4.8%	6.0%
KENTON	86,111	82,786	3,325	3.9%	3.6%	4.6%
OWEN	5,454	5,214	240	4.4%	4.0%	5.3%
PENDLETON	6,973	6,628	345	4.9%	4.6%	5.9%
<b>PENNYRILE</b>	<b>84,784</b>	<b>80,130</b>	<b>4,654</b>	<b>5.5%</b>	<b>5.1%</b>	<b>6.5%</b>
CALDWELL	5,471	5,190	281	5.1%	4.6%	6.2%
CHRISTIAN	25,165	23,823	1,342	5.3%	4.9%	6.5%
CRITTENDEN	4,114	3,889	225	5.5%	5.3%	6.4%
HOPKINS	20,134	19,199	935	4.6%	4.2%	5.7%
LIVINGSTON	3,755	3,454	301	8.0%	7.6%	9.3%
LYON	3,023	2,842	181	6.0%	5.3%	7.8%
MUHLENBERG	11,826	11,000	826	7.0%	6.9%	7.7%
TODD	5,456	5,219	237	4.3%	4.0%	4.5%
TRIGG	5,840	5,514	326	5.6%	5.2%	6.6%
<b>PURCHASE</b>	<b>88,805</b>	<b>83,636</b>	<b>5,169</b>	<b>5.8%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>
BALLARD	3,630	3,337	293	8.1%	7.6%	9.2%
CALLOWAY	18,550	17,700	850	4.6%	3.9%	5.1%
CARLISLE	2,292	2,153	139	6.1%	5.9%	7.0%
FULTON	2,021	1,894	127	6.3%	5.6%	7.8%
GRAVES	15,860	15,012	848	5.3%	5.0%	6.9%
HICKMAN	1,796	1,665	131	7.3%	6.5%	8.3%
MCCRACKEN	29,611	27,782	1,829	6.2%	5.9%	6.7%
MARSHALL	15,045	14,093	952	6.3%	6.1%	6.9%
<b>BOWLING GREEN MSA</b>	<b>83,511</b>	<b>79,974</b>	<b>3,537</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>4.6%</b>
<b>ELIZABETHTOWN MSA</b>	<b>66,611</b>	<b>63,628</b>	<b>2,983</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>5.3%</b>
<b>LEXINGTON MSA</b>	<b>269,042</b>	<b>259,201</b>	<b>9,841</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>4.1%</b>
<b>LOUISVILLE MSA</b>	<b>661,376</b>	<b>635,631</b>	<b>25,745</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>
<b>OWENSBORO MSA</b>	<b>56,212</b>	<b>53,653</b>	<b>2,559</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>5.2%</b>

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